



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q62224

Kenichi KURATA, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/764,103

Group Art Unit: 3622

Confirmation No.: 4519

Examiner: Daniel LASTRA

Filed: January 19, 2001

For: AN IMAGE-FORMING SYSTEM EMPLOYING A CARTRIDGE AND PROVIDING A
BENEFIT TO A USER

EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

An Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 is attached hereto for concurrent filing in the
above-identified application. The resulting excess claim fee has been calculated as shown
below:

	After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For					
All Claims	<u>48</u>	-	<u>45</u>	=	<u>3</u>	X	<u>\$50.00</u>	= <u>\$150.00</u>
Independent	<u>36</u>	-	<u>34</u>	=	<u>2</u>	X	<u>\$200.00</u>	= <u>\$400.00</u>
TOTAL								= <u>\$550.00</u>

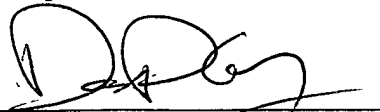
The statutory fee of \$550.00 is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The
USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the

Excess Claim Fee Payment Letter
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Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said
Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 7, 2006, please amend the above-
identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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